BARNSTABLE COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF DELEGATES

In the Year Two Thousand and One

Ordinance 01-24

To amend Part 2, Section 2 of the Barnstable County Administrative Code to amend the term of office provisions for Children's Cove Advisory Board appointees.

Barnstable County hereby ordains:

To amend Section 2.13 (d) of the Barnstable County Administrative Code to read as follows:

Section 2.13 (d) Children's Cove Advisory Board and Executive Committee.

Adopted on December 19, 2001 by the Assembly of Delegates

There shall be established a Children's Cove Advisory Board for the purposes of advising the County Commissioners on the goals, objectives and activities of the Children's Cove: Cape Cod and the Islands Child Advocacy Center.

The Advisory Board shall consist of eighteen members to be selected as follows: the partner agencies Barnstable County, the Cape and Islands District Attorney's Office, the Massachusetts Department of Social Services, the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health, the Cape Cod Hospital, each shall have two members of the Board; the Barnstable County Commissioners shall appoint up to nine other representatives from other Cape Cod Community based agencies that provide services in a field related to the activities of the Children's Cove. Each of the appointees shall have a term of one year and may be appointed to serve successive terms.

The Chair of the Advisory Board shall be a partner agency, and annually the chair position will rotate among the five partner agencies. The Chair shall serve in this capacity for one year beginning in September of each year. The Advisory Board will meet at least quarterly of each year and shall make recommendations on the operations and funding of the Children's Cove to the Barnstable County Commissioners.

There shall be established from among the members of the Advisory Board an Executive Committee consisting of seven members to be selected as follows: one representative each from the five partner agencies, two members from the community based agencies. The Executive Committee shall meet at least bi-monthly and shall review issues of importance to the Children's Cove, and make reports to the full Advisory Board.

Thomas Bernardo, Speaker

Approved by the Board of County Commissioners, JAN - 2 2002, at 10:00 a.m.

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